GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services - Irrigation & CAD Department - Alleged Irregularities/lapses of payment & utilization of Mobilization advances and equipment advances released in respect of Palem Vagu Project, Kinnerasani Project and Modukunta Vagu Project under Medium Irrigation under EPC - Disciplinary proceedings under rule 20 of APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991 against Sri Ch. Hanumatha Rao, Supdt. Engineer (Retd.), - Inquiry conducted - Charges held proved - Imposition of a penalty of 2% cut in pension for a period of five (5) years -Orders - issued.

IRRIGATION & CAD (SER.VII.(V&E)A.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1425 Dated: 24 -11-2010
Read the following:

Ref: - Director General (Vig. & Enft.) & E.O. Prl. Secy. to Govt., G.A.D. Appraisal report No.102(1073/V&E/E1/05) WGL, dt. 30.12.2008.

- 2. G.O. Ms. No.147, I&CAD(Ser.VII(V&E)A1) Dept., Dt. 22-08-2007.
- 3. G.O. Rt. No. 967, I&CAD(Ser.VII(V&E)A1) Dept., Dt. 22-08-2007.
- 4. From Sri Ch. Hanumatha Rao, SE(Retd.), WSSD Dt. 29-10-2007
- 5. G.O. Rt. No.628, I&CAD(SerVII.(V&E-1) Dept. dt. 15-05-2008.
- From Smt. Chandana Khan, IAS, COI D.O Lr. No.683/ COI-CK/2008, Dt. 25-08-2008.
- 7. Govt. Memo No.3579/Ser.VII.(V&E)A.1/2007-7, Dt.04-5-2009.
- 8. From Sri Ch. Hanumantha Rao, SE(Retd.) Explanation Dt. 22-06-2009.
- 9. Govt. Memo No.3579/Ser.VII.(V&E)A.1/2004-8, Dt.21-07-2010.
- 10. From Sri Ch. Hanumantha Rao, SE(Retd.) Rep. Dt.20-08-2010.
- 11. Govt. Lr.No.3579/Ser.VII(V&E)A1/2007-9, Dt. 27-09-2010.
- 12. From the Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad Lr. No. 1452/RT-I/3/2010, Dt. 30-10-2010.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, it was brought to the notice of Government that certain Engineers of I&CAD Department have committed Irregularities/lapses of payment & utilization of mobilization and equipment advances released in respect of Palem Vagu Project, Kinnerasani Project and Modikunta Vagu Project under medium Irrigation under EPC.

- 2. In the reference 2nd & 3rd read above, disciplinary proceeding were initiated by framing Articles of charges etc. under Rule 20 of A.P.Cs, (CC&A) Rule 1991 against Sri Ch. Hanumatha Rao, SE(Retd.) for the said irregularities.
- 3. In the reference 4th read above, the charged officer submitted his WSSD, denying the charges framed against him. After examining the WSSD of the charged officer, it was considered to place the matter before the Commissionerate of Inquires to inquire into the charges framed against him and in the reference 5th read above, Smt. Chandana Khan, I.A.S. Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administrative Department was appointed as Inquiring Authority to conduct enquiry into the charges.

- 4. The Inquiring Authority conducted the enquiry and submitted the enquiry report vide reference 6th read above. After examination of the Enquiry report, it was decided to deviate the findings of the IA and in the reference 7th read above, a copy of the enquiry report along with disagreement factors were communicated to Sri Ch. Hanumatha Rao, SE(Retd.) with a direction to submit his representation if any on the disagreement factors. In the reference 8th read above, Sri Ch. Hanumatha Rao, SE(Retd.) submitted his representation and requested to drop further action against him. After examination of the representation it was found that there were no new grounds in the representation and provisionally decided to impose a penalty of 2% cut in pension for a period of five(5) years. Accordingly in the reference 9th read above, a show cause notice was issued to submit his representation if any.
- 5. In the reference 10th read above, Sri Ch. Hanumatha Rao, SE (Retd.) has submitted his representation to drop further action against him. After examination of the representation of the delinquent officer it has been decided to impose the penalty of 2% cut in pension for five (5) years, as no merits found in his representation.
- 6. Accordingly, in the reference 11th read above the Secretary, APPSC has been requested to place the above proposal of the Government before the commission and to communicate the concurrence of the commission on the provisional decision of the Government.
- 7. In the reference 12th read above, the Secretary, APPSC has communicated the concurrence of the commission on the proposal of the Government to impose a penalty of 2% cut in pension for a period of five (5) years against Sri Ch. Hanumatha Rao, Supdt. Engineer (Retd.) and requested to take further action accordingly.
- 8. Government, after careful examination of the entire issue, here by order to impose a penalty of 2% cut in pension for a period of five (5) years on Sri Ch. Hanumatha Rao, Supdt. Engineer(Retd.), for the Irregularities/lapses of payment & utilization of mobilization and equipment advances released in respect of Palem Vagu Project, Kinnerasani Project and Modikunta Vagu Project under medium Irrigation under EPC.
- 9. The I&CAD(Ser.II) Department / Engineer-in-Chief (AW), I&CAD Department, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNER OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.P. TUCKER PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

То

Sri Ch. Hanumatha Rao, Supdt. Engineer(Retd.) (**Through**) Engineer-in-Chief(AW), I&CAD Department, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief(AW), I&CAD Department, Hyderabad

The I&CAD (Ser.II) Department.

Copy to:

The General Administration (V&E) Department. The Secretary to VC, A.P VC, Hyderabad. The Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad. SF/SC

//FORWARDED : BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER